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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted to supplement the Information Disclosure Statements filed October 3, 2003; June 15, 2004; September 16, 2004; December 30, 2004; April 10, 2006; August 11, 2006; December 26, 2006; and September 26, 2007. In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the following documents which are also listed on the attached substitute Form PTO-1449 attached hereto as Exhibit A.

- 1. December 27, 2007 Communication and Supplementary Partial European Search Report issued in connection with European Patent Application No. 07006886.1 (Exhibit 1); and
- 2. Canadian Patent Application No. 2,141,642, filed August 3, 1995 for Möller, W. et al. (Exhibit 2).

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documents, initial the attached substitute Form PTO-1449 and make the documents of record in the subject application.

Applicants are filing this Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d). Applicants note that the Communication and Supplementary Partial European Search Report attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** was issued less than three months prior to the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. Applicants further note that the enclosed Supplementary Partial European Search Report was the first time that Canadian Patent Application No. 2,141,642 attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** was cited in connection with a counterpart foreign application. Applicants also enclose a check in the amount \$180.00 for the Information Disclosure Statement filing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p).

Applicants further note that the first four references listed on the Supplementary Partial European Search Report were previously disclosed in Information Disclosure Statements filed September 16, 2004, April 10, 2006, June 15, 2004, and October 3, 2003, respectively, and are already made of record in the subject application.

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No fee, other than the \$180.00 fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p), is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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